I simply do not have the time, nor the inclination, to de-double-space this stuff... Pat, can you please get your act together?
[ANARTS - Australian National Amateur Radio Teletype Society]
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ANRTS MEETING

There will be a meeting of the Society on Friday 15th November at the usual venue. We would like to see more members come along to the meeting so why not contact Col VK2CTD, our President at his QTHR, ring Pat VK2JPA at work on (02) 0230 3722, or call after hours on (02) 9427 0530.

The meeting commences at 7.30pm, with supper and a chinwag at the end of business.

COLS COLUMN

HERE IS AN INTERESTING BIT OF DX NEWS FROM VK2TQM REGARDING THE FORTHCOMING DXPEDITION TO HEARD ISLAND. IT INCLUDES DATES, LOCATIONS AND THE CALLSIGN WHILE AT THAT LOCATION. THERE IS ALSO THE POSSIBILITY THAT SOMEONE COULD STILL JOIN THE TEAM, AH IF ONLY I WAS A COUPLE OF WEEKS YOUNGER.

I HAVE EDITED THE PRESS RELEASE TO FIT OUR BROADCAST. IF YOU WANT TO SEE THE WHOLE TEXT YOU CAN FIND THE ORIGINAL MESSAGE ON THE PACKET SYSTEM UNDER DX AT VKNET. 73'S FOR NOW DE COL VK2CTD
P.S. THE RTTY FREQUENCIES ARE ALSO GIVEN..

PRESS RELEASE 6 NOVEMBER 1996 FROM VK2TQM AT VK2TGB

Update on the Antarctic DXpedition to Heard Island

We are now just 60 days away from sailing from Reunion Island aboard the Marion Dufresne, bound for Crozet Island, Heard Island , and Kerguelen Island. Half of our gear is already on the ship on Reunion, the other half due to arrive shortly.

We have nearly the entire original team intact, although a recent withdrawal has opened a position. If you or anyone you know is interested, please contact me immediately.

information about the project is web pages at

http://www.ccnet.com/cordell/HI

We are open to the possibility of taking one or two "guest/sponsors." These people would not have any formal duties and would not even have to be licensed radio amateurs, but would be financial supporters and guests for the trip. If you have any suggestions.... please contact me.

SCHEDULE

The Heard Team schedule is as follows:

DATE	LOCATION	CALLSIGN
Dec 29-Jan 2	Reunion Island	TO0R
Jan 8-9	Crozet Island	TX0C
Jan 13-27	Heard Island	VK0IR
Jan 30-31	Kerguelen Island	TX0K
Feb 6-9	Reunion Island	TO0R

OPERATING FREQUENCIES

	CW	SSB	RTTY
160M:	1.8265	N/A	
80M:	3.507/3.522	3.799	
40M:	7.007	7.065	7.030
30M:	10.104		10.140
20M:	14.024	14.195	14.085
17M:	18.074	18.145	18.105
15M:	21.024	21.295	21.085
12M:	24.894	24.945	
10M:	28.024	28.475	

QSL by INDEXA:
INDEXA
c/o W4FRU
John Parrott, Jr.
P.O. Box 5127
Suffolk, VA 23435-0127 USA

The Heard Island DXpedition team is committed to carrying out this operation in an exemplary manner. Every effort will be made to ensure the maximum number of QSO's on as many band/modes as possible while minimising interference to other amateur interests. Your feedback and input through the Pilot operators is critical to this goal. What we learn through this project will aid others in carrying out operations in the field safely and reliably in the future, and will serve as a guide for those to follow. We hope you will enjoy and support this expedition, both with your QSO's and financially and will be proud to say "I helped make it happen!"

For more information please contact David - VK2TQM
Monday to Friday on phone 02 9898 7426
or by packet VK2TQM(AT)VK2TBG
or by email DAVIDM(AT)gec.com.au

WE HAVE THE IPS INDICES FOR LAST WEEK. WE WILL GIVE THEM FOLLOWED BY THE USUAL WEEKLY REPORT.

INDICES FOR WEEK 25 OCTOBER TO 31 OCTOBER

Date	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
10cm	70	71	72	68	70	71	70
A	6	5	5	13	15	11 (12 ESTIMATED)	
T	-12	-8	-14	-1	-14	-28	-34

IPS WEEKLY SOLAR AND GEOPHYSICAL REPORT
(01 NOVEMBER - 07 NOVEMBER)

ISSUED ON 08 NOVEMBER 1996

SUMMARY

Date	01	02	03	04	05	06	07
10cm	70	69	70	69	68	69	69
A	2	2	2	9	5	7 (5 ESTIMATED)	
T	-11	-10	-11	-11	-23	-40	-50

SOLAR ACTIVITY WAS VERY LOW ALL WEEK.

THE GEOMAGNETIC FIELD AT LEARMONTH W.A. WAS QUIET 1ST TO 3RD NOVEMBER; UNSETTLED TO ACTIVE ON 4TH; QUIET TO UNSETTLED 5TH AND 6TH, RETURNING TO QUIET ON 7TH.

MAXIMUM USABLE FREQUENCIES AT SYDNEY WERE MOSTLY 15 TO 30 PER CENT DEPRESSED; BUTWERE NEAR PREDICTED MONTHLY VALUES ON 3RD NOVEMBER. SPREAD F WAS REPORTED DURING LOCAL NIGHT ON 1ST TO 3RD NOVEMBER.

FORECAST

(08 NOVEMBER - 14 NOVEMBER)

SOLAR: VERY LOW.

GEOMAGNETIC: UNSETTLED TO ACTIVE 08-09 NOVEMBER. ACTIVE TO MINOR STORM 14-15 NOVEMBER. QUIET TO UNSETTLED ON OTHER DAYS.

FREQUENCIES: CONTINUED DEPRESSED CONDITIONS FOR MID TO HIGH LATITUDE REGION. DEEP DEPRESSIONS POSSIBLE ON 09 NOVEMBER AND ON 15 NOVEMBER.

COURTESY OF IPS RADIO AND SPACE SERVICES

VK2SG RTTY DX NOTES FOR WEEKENDING NOV. 1st, 1996

Surely not too much around this week since many were busy with the CQ WW SSB Contest and digital mode activity has been scarse.

Our thanks this week go to : ZS5S, W2JGR, WB2CJL, W5KSI, AA5AU, PA0HVF, SP4CHY, DF2KU, DL5KAT, IK5AAX, I5IGQ, I1JQJ and

the 425 DX gang, DJ3IW and the Central-Europe DX Cluster
DB0SPC the NJ0M Node of Minnesota and the IK5PWJ Cluster.

BANDPASS:

FRIDAY 25
1340-14086 UA2AO
1510-14082 PJ9/AB4JI
1515-14087 9A3SM
2007-14088 9Q5PA
2135-14089 8P9GU Qsl via DL7VOG

SATURDAY 26
1252-14083 OX3RO
1302-14087 GI0RDM
1306-14084 RW6BK
1840-14087 9Q5PA

SUNDAY 27
0951-14084 FW2EH Qsl via DJ2EH
1152-14090 VK8KF
1251-14083 OX3RO
1435-14073 OY4TN

MONDAY 28
1037-14083 XY1U
1618-14082 V26TS Qsl via KF3P
2229-14085 OA4BR
2343-14083 FW2EH QSL via DJ2EH

TUESDAY 29
0025-14086 A35RK
0027-14084 OA5BR
0059-14083 FW2EH Calling CQ
0730-14085 HB0/HB9AON Qsl via DJ2YE
0858-14089 3D2RW Fiji Qsl via ZL1AMO
0925-14083 3C1DX
1012-14086 XY1U
1019-14087 3DA0CA
1031-14088 UN7GY
1233-14067 4J5T
1310-14092 YB2AQF
1414-14085 GI4KOP
1417-14087 UA2AO
1550-14080 EK6OCM
1553-14084 OEM5EGN
1726-14084 4Z5AO
1838-14087 VO1XC
1900-14084 V26TS
2043-14088 DL7UBA/CT3
2243-12080 ZP6VT

WEDNESDAY 30
1215-21085 WP4Q
1319-14085 YL2DX
1334-14079 V8ATG Qsl via JH3GAH
1433-14091 4Z5AO
1441-14086 RF1B Qsl via UA1JC
1936-14087 KH6DRT
2252-21090 FW2EH

THURSDAY 31
0011-14081 FW2EH

0621-14073 5X4F Pactor
1227-14069 TL8MS Pactor
1257-14085 RA3BT
1457-14091 SV1BSX
1521-14087 CJ3MM
1530-14083 4S7NR

Notes of Interest:

MAYOTTE, FH. Denise, F6HWU will be operating from November 9-27th as FH/F6HWU. She prefer CW but may be possible also some activity on RTTY.

The VK2SG RTTY DXNOTES are also available on Internet at reflectors digital-dx(at)st.rim.or.jp. See also the OH2BUA WebCluster at URL http://www.clinet.fi/jukka/webcluster.html.

For next week's bulletin send your bandpass to Bob, WB2CJL at W5KSI.(hashsign)NOLA.LA.USA.NA.
Gl de (DX2) Luciano, I5FLN at ZS5S.ZAF.AF

The Ohio/Penn Dx PacketCluster
DX Bulletin No. 277

Thanks to the Northern Ohio Amateur Radio Society, Northern Ohio DX Association, Ohio/Penn PacketCluster Network, WD5N, KH6BZF, W6RGG, KF7AY, K8YSE, KA8MVJ, W9UI, WA0RJY, EY8MM, G3SXW, G4BUE & DX News Sheet, LU1BR, ON6TT, PS7AB and SM7PPK for the following DX information.

5X, UGANDA. Paul, 5X4F, is planning an all band (160 through 10) Multi-Single entry in the CQWWDX CW Contest from Arua in northwest Uganda. Operators are Dave/KE4EW, Dale/N3BNA and Paul/5X4F. Before the contest, Dave will be operating with the call 5X4DLI. QSL to KE4EW. The QSL Manager for 5X4F is now K3SW.

5V, TONGO (UPDATE). Rodger, G3SXW, (Note the callsign change that was originally announced 5V5A.) reports the 5V7A project for CQ World-Wide CW Contest is just about ready to roll. There are ten operators, six stations and 17 antennas in the multi-multi category: AA7NO, G3SXW, G4FAM, GM3YTS, K5VT, K7GE, KC7V, N7BG, W6RGG, WB7SRW. This is the same team that did TY5A (1995) and 9G5AA (1994). First departures are on November 13th, and the team will travel by road through Ivory Coast and Ghana to reach Togo. There will be some activity before the contest, while the team is testing antennas on various bands using their personal callsigns. They hope to be active on all bands including the WARC bands between November 20-24th. On 160 meters look for them low in the band. All activity will cease at the end of the contest as they will leave for home the next morning.

C21, NAURU (Where will Martti, OH2BH, go next?). The well known DXer will be heading to C21-land for his birthday and will be active as C21BH. It is interesting that Nauru is the exact spelling of a Finnish word which, according to old popular Finnish wisdom, "it extends life in the spirit of a good life".

HS0, THAILAND. Jack, WA0RJY, will be here from November 16th

through December 1st. He plans to be in the CQWW CW Contest as a Single-Op all band entry with the callsign of HS0/WA0RJY or possibly as part of a Multi-Op team, but one way or another HS will be available during the contest.

J6, ST. LUCIA. Bob, W9UI, reports members of SouthWest Ohio DX Association (SWODXA) will be active as J6DX for the CQWW DX CW Contest as a Multi/Single entry. The group will be active between November 19th and December 1st. The group plans to be active on 160-6 meters including the WARC bands with operations on CW, SSB, RTTY and the Satellites (HF).

L75, ARGENTINA. Look for L75AA during the CQWW DX CW Contest. LU1BR and LU2AH are operating this special prefix celebrating the "Argentine Radio Club 75th Anniversary". QSL via LU4AA.

VP5, TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS. Dave, WD5N, will be active in the CQWW DX CW Contest (November 23-24th) as VP5EA. He will be active a few days before and after as VP5/WD5N. QSL via WD5N, to 1997 CBA ONLY: 103 Osage Dr., Leander, TX 78641 (or via W5 bureau).

Society information

The Society may be contacted at : PO Box 860, Crows Nest 2065 Australia, for such matters as membership and general enquiries. Enquiries can also be made by packet to the President (Col) VK2CTD at VKWI2, or the Secretary (Pat) VK2JPA at VK2WI.

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73s de Pat VK2JPA Broadcast Officer
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